

## JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION:   **(1) Law Clerk** for Special Master Laura D. Millman

COURT:       Office of the Special Masters  
              United States Court of Federal Claims  
              1440 New York Avenue, N.W., Suite 200  
              Washington, D.C. 20005

SALARY:      Grade 11 (\$55,706) if new graduate; Grade 12 (\$66,767) if prior experience and passed the bar exam.

TERM:        One to one and one-half years, subject to a possible second year.

BEGINS:      February 20, 2007

### DESCRIPTION:

The law clerk for a Special Master helps manage cases filed under the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act, 42 U.S.C. §300aa-1 et seq. (1988 ed. and Supp. V). The Special Master hears cases dealing with allegations that certain vaccines (DPT, measles, mumps, rubella, hepatitis B, hemophilus B influenza, varicella) caused injury and/or death. The United States Department of Justice defends these suits.

Crucial to the position of law clerk is an ability to manage a heavy caseload, including speaking with counsel, keeping the Special Master's calendar up-to-date, helping with decisions on liability, damages, attorney's fees and costs, issuing orders after status conferences, and keeping monthly statistics on the disposition of the cases. Accuracy and an ability to concentrate are essential to the position. Professionalism in dealing with opposing counsel is also mandatory.

Law review experience is preferable but not required.

If you are interested in the position, please send a **résumé**, a copy of your **transcript**, a **writing sample**, and a **list of references (with phone numbers)** at once to Special Master Laura D. Millman at the above address. Special Master Millman will hold interviews starting immediately and ending on January 31, 2007. The current law clerk, Nabila Isa-Odidi, will help train the new law clerk from Feb. 20-23. Ms. Isa-Odidi's telephone number is (202) 357-6356. The office fax number is (202) 357-6381. Ms. Isa-Odidi's e-mail address is: [nabila\\_isa-odidi@ao.uscourts.gov](mailto:nabila_isa-odidi@ao.uscourts.gov)